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#### MYSTERIOUS MURDERS

Phila., Wilm. and Ball. R. R r murders and mysterious disappear On and after June 10, 1901, tra'ns nces, and it seems that the State author ities are unable to cope successfully with

> ton, and the Windsor case in Milford. the shelf, and never have been avenged. appearance in Rehoboth of long standing point to a horrible and brutal murder Torbert, of Smyrna, who disappeared on March 12th, of this year, and whose clothes were found on the boardwalk in little, if any, effort made to find out how this young man disappeared. The father of the missing man is Dr.

John Torbert, of Smyrna, specialist in us diseases. The facts in the cas o far in the possession of Dr. Torbert Douglas House in Rehoboth, for Lofland On the night of March 12 some fisher

the hotel and raised a row. Lawver Patterson, of Philadelphia, was living near the hotel and heard the noise. In comto the hotel and the men left. Several that an effort will be made to have him nes during the night the men returned and renewed the quarrel.

Next morning as Mr. Patterson was go ing to Philadelphia, he said to his man We will go up to the Douglas House to see how John made out."

Upon their arrival they found the place in disorder. It was open and broken bot-tles and glasses were strewn on the floor. Out on the porch they found the hotel keys and on the boardwalk they found the young man's clothes. This is the last trace ever seen of John Torbert, and his father has spent all the money he could raise to try unravel the mystery. He wrote to Chief of Police Massey to send case. This being out of his line of work General Ward. Dr. Torbert says that he does not think that there has been any effort made to find the boy or to find whether he has been killed or not.

It is the general supposition that he was murdered by the men and his clothes placed on the boardwalk while the body

#### CONTESTING THE WILL

Sons of the late George W. Vernon Wilmington have filed a caveat agains the probating of Mr. Vernon's will. The will was filed for probate in Register of Wills Crossan's office Friday by Howel S. England. The estate is estimated t be valued at about \$50,000. William Hilles, representing the contestants, gave otice of a caveat.

The will names Mrs. George W. Ve non and Mrs. Charles W. Gooding, the latter being a daughter of the deceased Filmore, Abner and W. Scott Vernon. Those who are satisfied with the risigns of the will, in addition to the Wesley, Frank, Clarence, Mabel and the will provides that the Republican nilding, at the southeast corner of Third and King streets, goes to the sons providing they pay the widow \$20 week during her lifetime. The chief ob-

Tri-State Alliance sev are likely to form an alliance for and its tributaries Congressman Louden-BALTIMORE & OHIO Delaware Avenue vania and Delaware in urging favorable years. action on the part of Congress when the

Naing leave Wilmington, Delaware Avenue Station, for Station, for MEW YORK, week days, 55 01, 19.39, 110.52 . m.; 112.19, 123.3, 13.59, 15 18 (Royal Limited ) 8.77, 17.42, 110.52 p. m. Sundays, 15.01, 18.39, 11.35 a. m.; 12.35, 13.19, 15.18 (Royal Limited ) 7.42, 110.52 p. m. 17.4. 110.82 p. m. Spines, and 1.5 m. 12.35 p. 18. 18. (Royal Limited.) 1.0. 19. p. 11. 10. 10. p. 11. 10. p. 1 To Carry Peaches on Parade thantic City, week days, 16.50 a. m.; 112.19, and 15.15 m. Sundays, 7.20 a. m.; 15.15 aware will be represented by about fifty be seventy feet below the surface of the making arrangements for ble is to be 18.3 be 18.50 a. m.; 12.35 G. Baugh; is making arrangements for ble is to be 18.3 be 18.50 a. m.; 12.35 G. Baugh; is making arrangements for ble is to be 18.3 be 18.50 a. m.; 12.35 G. Baugh; is making arrangements for ble is to be 18.3 be 18.50 a. m.; 12.35 G. Baugh; is making arrangements for ble is to be 18.3 be 18.50 a. m.; 12.35 G. Baugh; is making arrangements for ble is to be 18.3 be 18.50 a. m.; 12.35 G. Baugh; is making arrangements for ble is to be 18.3 be 18.50 a. m.; 12.35 G. Baugh; is making arrangements for ble is to be 18.3 be 18.50 a. m.; 12.35 G. Baugh; is making arrangements for ble is to be 18.3 be 18.50 a. m.; 12.35 G. Baugh; is making arrangements for ble is to be 18.3 be 18.50 a. m.; 12.35 G. Baugh; is making arrangements for ble is to be 18.3 be 18.50 a. m.; 12.35 G. Baugh; is making arrangements for ble is to be 18.3 be 18.50 a. m.; 12.35 G. Baugh; is making arrangements for ble is to be 18.3 be 18.50 a. m.; 12.35 G. Baugh; is making arrangements for ble is to be 18.3 be 18.50 a. m.; 12.35 G. Baugh; is making arrangements for ble is to be 18.3 be 18.50 a. m.; 12.35 G. Baugh; is making arrangements for ble is to be 18.3 be 18.50 a. m.; 12.35 G. Baugh; is making arrangements for ble is to be 18.3 be 18.50 a. m.; 12.35 G. Baugh; is making arrangements for ble is to be 18.3 be 18.50 a. m.; 12.35 G. Baugh; is making arrangements for ble is to be 18.3 be 18.50 a. m.; 12.35 G. Baugh; is making arrangements for ble is to be 18.3 be 18.50 a. m.; 18.50 Avenue Opera House.

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Thomas Elzey, colored, who died near White Haven, was without doubt the

### ROBBED UNCLE SAM

ion of William J. Steel, of elaware City, by Police Sergeant Kelle her and Patrolman Scott, in Wilmington, roperty of the United States government at Fort Delaware. Steel said he received t from a soldier named Davis and on the trength of his statement Davis was arted on Saturday afternoon and is now locked up in the government prison at Fort duPont awaiting trial by court nartial.

City Court Monday morning on the narge of being concerned in the disposiion of the wire, but as Acting Assistant City Solicitor Philip L. Garrett announced that Steel was not the man who stole he wire, Deputy Judge Townsend refused to hold the prisoner and discharged im, although Mr. Garrett wanted him held to await the action of the govern nent or until Wednesday, when wit esses could be produced to show that teel had the wire in his posses

State Detective Theodore W. Francis, who had been instrumental in working p the case in connection with the poli bllowed Steel after he had been released and had him detained at police head quarters until the government officials ould be com inicated with. It is likely held as a witness.

#### DEATH OF ISAAC N. FOOKS

Isaac N. Fooks of Georgetown, died arly Monday morning, at his residence Death was due to paralysis, with which he was stricken last Friday morning. The funeral took place at 2.30 o'clock

Isaac N. Fooks was born in Nanticoke ndred, Sussex county, near George town, in 1849, and was a son of Thor Fooks, a leading farmer of that county In early manhood he engaged in the in Democratic politics, he was, in 1878 elected a Representative to the General Assembly. Governor Reynolds appoin that office was part of the patronage of the executive, and he served the term of four years. Upon the death of State A. Lingo, Governor Tunnell appointed Mr. Fooks to the vacanc Mr. Fooks was also connected with the

Georgetown Hosiery Co., which for while had its works in Wilmington. Deceased leaves a wife and two small-hildren, and his mother and three brohers also survive him. His mother live n the home farm in Nanticoke hundred with one of his brothers, Thomas Fooks. The other two are Dr. John Fooks of Laurel and Robert H. Fooks, teller of the

### Farmers Bank at Georgetown.

Cole's Affection is Cold Montyaloo A. Cole, who is a prison New Castle jail for the murder William A. Montague with a basebal bat, has lost his regard for Edna Wilson woman over whose affection Cole killed Montague. When Cole learned that Edna Wilson has twice visited the iail to try to see him he told Sheriff roman again, as he had enough of her. The Wilson woman told Sheriff McDanie she had been living in Boston, and cam to Delaware again expressly to visit Cole She said she had only one day at he

#### Trouble Over Pest House

county respecting the kind of material that is to enter into the construction of a slager of New Jersey is quoted as saying:

"We in New Jersey are relatively as
much interested in the improvement of
Delaware River as are the residents and
stopped by the board Wednesday afterrepresentatives of Pennsylvania. True, we have other ports of entry in addition know whether or not the Levy Court will to those on this river; but we have a allow them an additional appropriation growing trade on the Delaware. You of \$2,000, with which to erect a brick will find our representatives at Washing-ton side by side with those of Pennsyl-the county in this direction for many building that will answer the needs of

To Carry Peaches on Parade about to lay a cable across the Chesapeake Bay from Love Point on the eastern a big sensation in the parade at the G. A. shore to Sandy Point Lighthouse on the R. encampment in Cleveland, Ohio. western shore, connecting with the Chesa-Each man will carry a peach on the end peake & Potomac Telephone Co. It will of a cane, thus indicating Delaware's be five miles long and will weigh 70 tons. G. Baught is making arrangements for the trip. The veterans will leave Wilmington on Sunday, September 8th. The
encampment opens on Monday. The
business sessions will be held in Euclid

According to contract the cathe water. According to contract the cathe trip. The veterans will leave Wilthe Eastern Shore towns will then have the
direct communication with Baltimore
and Washington, instead of going around
by Wilmington.

year, and consequently no little alarm is felt, for, should this State be visited by a All correspondence stricly confidential. frost within six weeks, great damage would be done to the corn and buckwheat crops.

Much Money From Liceaser, Clerk of the Peace Quigley Saturday morning made his usual bimonthly settlement with State Treasurer Burris. oldest person on the peninsula. He was past 118 years of age. It is said that his age was well authenticated, for the old man was quite a character in the community in which he lived. Up to a few days ago he was perfectly able to go around, and could see well enough to distinguish his friends from strangers.

In morning made his usual bimonthly settlement with State Treasurer Burris. A Philadelphia dispatch dated Tuesday says. Totatoes which last year at this time sold at \$1.25 a barrel, now sell at \$4, and nal properties of the solid preparation of the solid prepa

#### POETIC JUSTICE

A Jerseyman who went out for a plea go received a needed, though rather It was a very hot day, and when the drive was about half over the horse ecame balky. The driver thereupon inmerciful beating. A constable sav him and promply arrested him for cruelty to animals. He was unable to pay the oney, and his companion settled the business for him. Then she went home it said:

norse and so easily lose his ter roman marrying him would take the chance of the same treatment.'

And the rest of the note released him from the engagement.

Most people will be of the opinion tha the young lady in question did exactly what was right, and that she was fortunate in discovering the disposition of her finance before instead of after marriage. Insensibility to the pain of another i not a trait which is particularly desirable in either a husband or a wife. While, of course, it is not to be inferred that every beat his wife, cruelty to animals so vitia tes the moral nature that those percep ions upon which a sense of justice marriage is so close that happiness can nce together with a certain sensitive ess to the feelings of others. The man who does not possess this sensitiveness may not be actually cruel to either wife or children, so far as physical mal-treatand do things which are quite brutal as a blow with a whip wor be. There are a dozen considera om wife-beating-the opinion of his

nay invoke the law, fear of retaliation by her relatives, or merely the fact that t is not usual for American husbands to express their sentiments in that way But if his nature is esentially cruel he vill find ways to torture those dependent ipon him which are worse than any physical pain. The true test of a man's haracter is not to be found in his actions when he is restrained by public senting or fear of consequences. He is his real self when he is free to act, to indulge eanness, or passion, or cruelty, toward me creature which cannot retaliate and has no means of defence. The Jerseyman who is the unenviable hero of the inci ent-above recorded was subjected to the have had an idea that by his lack of conderation for his horse he was showing a manly and stern strength of character hich would impress the girl in the seat beside him. Some men have an idea are capable of cruelty. These men are trying to fit sixteenth century ideas into twentieth century civilization. It cannot be done. It is true that women admire a brave man, and often the man in ques tion is a soldier or a hunter, but there is a very fine distinction between the brave oan and the man who is ever ready t nflict pain. What the modern girl se to admire in the soldier is not his willingess to shoot other men, but his readine to be shot himself; not his murdero

# impulses, but his sacrifice of personal safety. The kind of woman who wo like a man better after seeing him cruelly toward a helpless animal is fit for a civilized country.

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Noxious Doses. No Weakening of th Nerves. A Pleasant and Positive Cure for the Liquor Habit It is now generally known and under ed that Drunkenness is a disease and

Extension of Line

The Diamond State Telephone Co. is about to lay a cable across the Chesapeake Bay from Love Point on the eastern shore to Sandy Point Lighthouse on the western shore, connecting with the Chesapeake & Potomac Telephone Co. It will be five miles long and will weigh 70 tons. The deepest point along its bed will be 'seventy feet below the surface of the water. According to contract the cable is to be 'laid by September 1st, and the Eastern Shore towns will then have direct communication with Baltimore and Washington, instead of going around by Wilmington.

Katydids Cause Fright

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Katydid always makes its advent six weeks preceeding the first frost. The katydid is two weeks ahead of time this year, and consequently no little alarm is felt, for, should this State be visited by a frost within six weeks, great damage

The Diamond State Telephone Co. Is will obsource to sandy Polyne Tournkards into sober, industrious and upright men.

WIVES CURE YOUR HUSBANDS!!

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Potatoes Jump in Price

The east is confronted with a potato famine. Growers are now receiving more for cuils than they did a few days ago for primes. Indications are that the price will soon reach \$1 per basket as they are now quoted \$4.50 per barrel. A Philadelphia dispatch dated Tuesday says:

Schley happens to be a ginning to see that their ca would have been glad to have Court of Inquiry at any time within the last three years had Admiral Schley asked for it, and now that the Court is to be held, it will render every official aid poslight may be thrown upon the dark places in the Naval Campaign which reulted in the destruction of Cervera's fleet, and if it be shown that the Departchley disobeyed orders without properly explaining his reasons and that he dis played a lack of judgment at a critical eriod, no where would there be more satisfaction than in the Navy Department. Every record of the Department has een thrown open to Captain Parker, who is one of Schley's Counsel in order that he may have access to every scrap of official evidence that will be laid before the Court. Judge Advocate General Lemly of the Navy, who will be Judge Advocate of the Schley Court of Inquiry, has gone away on a vacation and will not return until September, 1st. His ubordinates will arrange all the details, such as making a list of witnesses who will appear before the Court, etc.

er of the Cabinet in Washington, the est of the members, excepting Secretary Wilson, who is making a personal inspe on of the corn and wheat crop of the West, being on vacation

The United States Civil Service Retireent Association, an organization formed a year or so ago, to secure Congressional slation, for the retirement on half pay, of aged infirm and incapacitated ivil employes of the government, without expense to the government, has re ently been reorganized and now seems n a fair way to accomplish s While the Association doesn't figure on asking Congress to provide the money to will have introduced will provide for enditure of the Pension fund, which is be obtained by deducting a small perent will be sufficent-from the salary of each civil employe of the government This plan seems to be free from the objection which have killed all previo ttempts to secure civil pension legisla tion, and no good reason for Congres ional opposition, has yet been brought forward. It only proposes authority overnment employes to do what the employes of several big corporations in his and other countries have been doing for some time. A con ng war against the United States has een received at the War Department, but no call for troops has been issued and no excitement is visible in Washington. The letter, which was mailed in Chicago and which might have been written by Dowie, reads as follows

"In the year 1898, the God of this Earth ought a battle against Spain with the use of the United States Army and Navy un der the command of the Almighty God of Heaven. The government officials of merica, although well aware of that, undertook to rob the Almighty God of he honor of the Battle and induced their servants to turn down the holy person of the God of this Earth and brand him a liar and lunatic and deprive him of every eans of making a living in this country which, in all is a conspiracy against the overnment of the Almighty God of Therefore, the Government of Almighty God is compelled to Declare War against the United States of Amer-ica and punish that Gang of Conspirators as they deserve. As Supreme Ruler of e twenty-four oldest races. I have raised my Godly Government flag over the Inernational Flags of the twenty-four oldes

#### God of this Earth, entating the God of Heaven."

Possibly there will come a time when great battles will be fought without noise, at any rate, there are men who think so: An officer of the Bureau of Ordnance of the War Department, said on the subject. "We have had several proposals by alleged inventors looking towards the manufacture of a noiseless or soundless pow der, but they never came to anything. None of them had any samples to submi and consequently no tests have ever been made of a soundless powder. Every once in a while someone thinks how nice it would be if there were a soundless powder and writes to know if we would like to have such an article, and that is as far as it ever goes. Personally I do not think All explosions produce concussions, and concussions produce sound waves.'

#### HIS EFFORTS FAILED

A Maryland couple applied to the circuit judge for a divorce, and the judge, who does not believe in divorces except as a last resort, sought to convince the couple that they ought to patch up their differences and try to live together again. eternity with my clothes off than live with that woman for a week." That seemed so conclusive that the judge gave up his attempt at reconciliation and took

amitments to jail during the quarter of which at least 3,000 were from New Castle. ention, This is an average of over 33 andidates and per day for every day in the form. This being week, from a city of about 5,000 of State election and the national issue being the inhabitants and only about 700 choice of a Legislature, which or an average of 8 per day from the rest of the county including will elect Wellington's successor to the Senate, both parties have the city of Wilmington. This mere statement should and does confined their platform to State issues. The Democrats had the prove conclusively that there is a fraud somewhere. At and rate first say, and boldly announced their determination to eliminate it was conclusive enough for the comptroller to refuse to approve the negro from politics, by dethe claim of the Sheriff and thus priving him of his vote in event throw the responsibility upon of their success at the polls. the Levy Court. This opens They say that Maryland has 40,anew the subject of these com-000 Democratic majority over the mitments and affords the Attorwhite Republicans, but that with the 60,000 colored Republi- ney General another avenue of cans, they have no chance of investigation. There is no doubt success. They cry "negro do- that the county has paid out many thousand dollars for commination," but that cry has no scare in it for states in which the mitments, and board of prisoners when the prisoners had nothing whites outnumbered the colored by five to one as is the case in but a paper existence. As the Maryland. The Republicans at Mayor receives forty cents for their convention announced committing a man to jail, the Sheriff fifty-three cents for lock-"Gorman and Gormanism" as ing him up, and at least two the issues of the campaign. days board amounting to forty There is no doubt that a Democents, the total cost attached to cratic Legislature in Maryland each commitment is \$1.33. There means Arthur P. Gorman for Senator, just as a Democratic fore the amount involved in the 3000 under question is now less Legislature in Delaware means than \$4,000 for three months or R. R. Kenney and Willard Saulsbury for Senators. The good \$16,000 for a year. people of Maryland have for six THE STEEL STRIKE years repudiated Gorman as To-day marks the beginning of Delaware has Kenney and Saulswhat promises to be a serious bury, but with the help of the fight between capital represented newelection law Gorman hopes to by the Billion dollar Steel Trust succeed. The machine is badly scared however, as the result of and labor as represented by the Amalgamated Association with the last city election in Baltimore the Confederation of Labor in proved that the proportion of ilthe background as a possible literacy in each party was about ally of the Association. At least the same. There is this differone hundred thousand and perence, that while the Republicans have schools of instruction in haps two hundred thousand men will obey the strike order issued operation throughout the state

and are rapidly getting their

voters educated enough to vote

crats are sulking and loudly an-

nouncing that if their own party

passes a law that disqualifies

as the party can. In other words

they do not want to vote as

badly as the party needs their

are on the right track and have

the courage of their convictions.

Therefore they will succeed as

they deserve to succeed, and Mr.

Gorman will remain a private

citizen

Maryland Republicans

to what the men lose, the Steel

Trust is bound to lose, but as

proven by the Coal strike of last year, capital knows how to make

the consumer pay its losses,

while labors losses are never

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As a result of industry mountains have been leveled and valleys have been exalted before it. recovered. The greatest fear The rocky soil has been broken is that riot and bloodshed such and turned into fertile glades. as prevailed in 1895 at the time It has crowned the hill top with of the Carnegie Strike, may verdue and bound round the feet again rule. of ocean with ridges of golden grain. It has leveled the forest and turned it into first, the log cabin villiages, and then the country town and afterwards the city. It has made Middletown what it is to-day, and here we may say we are enjoying a degree of prosperity not excelled by any other town. In our midst we have several industries employing a number of hands and turning out goods which are shipped all over the country, and which favorably advertise our little city wherever the product goos. grain. It has leveled the forest

The proprietors of these plants have shown their faith in Middletown as a manufacturing and distributing point years ago, and to Sassafras River as follows:

Iron Bridge—American Bridge Company, \$10,122; York Bridge Company, \$7,779; King Bridge Company, \$7,850.

Wood Bridge—American Bridge Company, \$8,990; George W. Peterson, \$7,000; York Bridge Company, \$6,665.

The Commissioners decided to accept bids for an iron bridge and awarded contract to York Bridge Company, they being the lowest bidders. them should be given much of the credit for the prosperity we enjoy. The fact that our houses re rented and that our "butcher, baker and candle stick maker' are doing prosperous business should encourage us in our efforts to bring other like enterprises to our town. Let our citiens and those who represent them in our town council always show a readiness to offer inducenents to outside enterprises to locate in our midst, and at the seme time increase the priviledges of our old established concerns wherever possible. By so doing they assist in still further enlarging those enterprises which have proven to be valuable and which directly or indirectly effect every resident of our town.

"More manufacturing enterprises" is a sentiment which should be kept in mind by every one but "loyalty to our old in stitutions" is a not less worthy sentiment THE TRANSCRIPT desires to strongly impress upon its readers.

vke on Dan Baker Shoals will be

Mr. and Mrs. George McCoy visited in hiladelphia this week. for the

Philadelphia this week.

Miss Nellie Yearsley, of Middletown,
visited her parents on Sunday.

Mr. A. Cordrey, of Augustine Park,
was in St. Georges on Wednesday.

Mr. John Wallan spent Saturday and
Sunday in Philadelphia and Camden.

Mr. Harry McNally, of Philadelphia,
visited his parents Friday and Saturday.

Massars have been and Walland 31st was vy Court Messrs. Abraham Vandegrift and W. Hall were in Middletown on Wed

Misses Carrie and Lina Bendler have eturned home after a pleasant visit with thester friends. Mrs. J. R. Conard, of Milford, is spend-

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Carty, of Mid-dletown, spent Sunday with their daugh-er, Mrs. Rufus Yearsley.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lockerman, o Camden, N. J., are visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Kershaw.

The Kent County Mutual Insurance Company have had two ladders made which they propose to present to the village for use if a fire should occur, but on condition that they shall be used or oaned for no other purpose whatever.

#### EARLEVILLE NOTES

Mrs. Sadie Husfelt has a very sich

Mrs. William Templeton and fathe are very ill with typhoid fever. Miss Jennie Brown, of Wilmington, the guest of Miss Arrie Duhamell.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rowan spent Monday afternoon with relatives in Cecilton Mrs. William Rowan is entertaining her cousin, Mrs. William Cartel, of Wil-

Mrs. John Biddle, of Philadelphia, was he guest of the family of Mr. William J. Duhamell this week.

Duhamell this week.

Mrs. Clara Rowan, wife of Harry Rowan, and daughter of William J. Duhamell, died at her home in Cecilton on August 3d, and was buried on Wednesday afternoon. Services at the M. E. Church at Cecilton. Interment at the Presbyterian Cemetery at Georgetown, Kent County.

This loved one from us has fled
To realms of bliss above,
Then why should tears by us be shed
She shares her Maker's love.

The pearly gates were opened wide,
Then safe and sure she trod cross the surging treacherous tide, To the right hand of God.

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#### CAPTAIN COHEE DEAD

Captain B. Frank Cohee died at his Captain B. Frank Cohee died at his residence in Fredericktown, Md., on Saturday, July 27th, after a brief illness of pneumonia, aged 68 years. Captain Cohee, who was born in Fredericktown in 1836, was for quite a number of years captain of a vessel plying between Georgetown and Baltimore. Later he became engaged in the fishery business on Elk river. A widow and ten children, all of whom are married, survive him. Funeral services were held on the following Tuesday from the Galena Catholic Church, interment being made in the church burying ground near Lambson's. The bearers were as follows: J. Fletcher Wilson, N. Scotten, J. Hudson, J. P. Hall, John Walmsley and Joseph Brown. The county Commissioners of Kent and ecil counties, Md., in join session at the flice of the County Commissioners in office of the County Commissioners in Elkton on Wednesday received bids for the construction of an iron bridge over Sassafras River as follows:

Severely Burned by Molten Iron Mr. J. Wesley Start was painfully burned at his blacksmith shop at Smy-ran on Saturday, which but for hasty action might have resulted more seriously. He was welding pieces of iron together when an end broke off and struck him is the stement welling down in the in the stomach, rolling down into the waistband of his trousers, and down his left leg. It was a painful predicament, and hastiness in tearing apart his troug-ers, saved him from much more serious

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#### DELAWARE CITY

Rev. Mr. Banm preached in Christ Mrs. N. George Price and daughter isiting friends in Philadelphia. The "Smart Set" gave a social dance unday evening in Assembly Hall. The Presbyterian Church will not blosed as reported during this month.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Jarrell are enjoying a few days visit at Brandywin Dr. Fritz has opened his drug store and has procured the services of an efficient druggist.

Mr. and Mrs. George C. Bennett, of Quarryville, Pa., were guests of relatives town a few days. William A. Anderson is building a

table and carriage house on the lot ad oining his house on Fourth street. The ice house built by H. C. Clark on the wharf back of Cheairs' store has no been used for some time, and was torslown this week.

down this week.

The cellar is being dug for a house for John Johnson on Fifth street, near the house of H. C. Clark, now occupied by Captain La Fitte.

The work at the bulkhead at Dan-Baker Shoals is progressing so rapidly it is thought it will be finished by the close of the present month.

The new house on Clinton street, above Third, is progressing. All the frame is up and appearances indicate that it will be a large and handsome structure.

The foundations are now laid and the

The foundations are now laid and the other work will proceed on three new houses that are to be erected for officers quarters on the government land adjoining Fort du Pont.

If the government takes the lots on the east side of Port Penn road as is anticipated, the U. A. M. E. Church will probably be moved to the ground adjoining the school house on the west side of the

road.

The old ice house on Dutch Neck causeway was destroyed by fire last Sunday afternoon. The fire was probably caused by the carelessness of boys or tramps. It had not been in use for some time and a constitution. was a decrepit affair.

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Rev. Dr. W. M. Jefferis, of Calvary Church, Wilmington, officiated on Friday at the funeral of Purnell Webb, a former resident of our town. Mr. Webb died in Wilmington, and his remains were brought here for interment in the Delaware City Cemetery.

We learn by Philadelphia papers that it has been discovered that there is an old curfew law in Wilmington that has never been repealed. A gentleman delayed by a derailed trolley car did not reach Delaware City the other night until 2.30 A. M., and he says it surprised him very much to find that even at that hour there were ro children on the streets.

Mr. Frank Bruner has added another

there were ro children on the streets.

Mr. Frank Bruner has added another industry to Delaware City. In this case it is a cigar factory in the second story of his store house on the wharf at the foot of Clinton street. It is under the management of W. R. Patterson, late of Philadelphia. Mr. Patterson has an intimate knowledge of the tobacco business in all its forms. For several years he has been engaged in the wholesale trade in Philadelphia and Richmond, Va., and evidently has the knowledge, skill and judgment to establish and maintain a flourishing business.

#### ATLANTIC CITY

road, Belaware saver bridge source on Thursday, August 8, and Tuesday August 27, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company (Philadelphia, Wilmington and Baltimore Railroad Company) will run special low-rate excursions to Atlantic City via the Delaware River Bridge Route without change of cars. A through special train will be run on the following relabelula and smuld trin tights will be chedule, and round trip tickets will old at the rates quoted:—

Pelton Viola Bear....." New Castle..." Wilmington"

Children between five and twelve years one-half of the above rates. Returning, special train leaves Atlantic City 6.00 P. M.

New Three-Cent Piece

The new three-cent piece to be issued by the Government has already been styled the doughnut coin by reason of the fact that the piece is to have a hole in the centre. The innovation in the coinage of a part of Uncle Sam's money was deemed necessary from the fact that the coin is the exact size and of the same material as the present flue-cent piece. It was impossible to keep the old style three-cent piece in circulation because of the aptitude of the people to mistake it for the dime or ten-cent piece.



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½ pair 2.50 to 1.25

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	\$3.00 c	urtain	s \$2.50
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#### 7.50 to 5.00 10.00 to 7.50

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#### 2.25 to 2.00

3.00 to 2.50

### Pillows and Bolsters

Mixed feathers, 20x30, each \$1.25 Mixed feathers, 20x56, each 2.50 Live geese, 22x30, each 1.25 Live geese, 22x56, each 3.75

#### Sheets and Pillow Cases:

2|x21 Mohawk, 60c. to 49c.

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36x42 Mohawk, 121 to 10c. 72x42 Mohawk, 25 to 20c. 36x42 Utica, 18 to 15c. 36x45 Utica, 20 to 17c. 40 to 34c.

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teed. Hay riggins for sale.
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Have you seen E. F. Ingram's 10 cent and 25 cent Children's Hats.

10 cents at Bragdon's.

FOR SALE.—Early Cabbage in larg quantities. Orders by mail or phone will receive prompt attention.—Phone No. 7, MIDDLETOWN GREEN HOUSES. A special sale of Wash Skirts and Shirt

Waists at E. F. Ingram's to-day. Large quantity of Rock Salt for the Spring trade.—H. C. DeValinger.

200,000 Late Cabbage Plants for sale ready, at STEELE'S GREEN HOUSES, Middletown, Del.

The latest creations of the milliner's art at moderate prices.-E. F. INGRAM. This is to let every one know that they can be cured of that headache by taking Brown's Antidote. Bragdon sells it fo

Mr. Caleb Price has sold his farm cor tuining 202 acres, situated near Chesapeake City, to Mr. George Janvier of this town for \$12,000.

We are buying about 500 dozen of egg per week, but would like to have double that quantity. Bring them along and turn them into cash.—MIDDLETOWN GRO-CERY HOUSE.

It is reported that the New Castle and Delaware City Company intends to begin work soon on its proposed Middletown extension. The road will pass through St. Georges and Odessa.

Park next Tuesday, and the days outing will be one of much enjoyment to all who accompany the school on this occa-

It is the general opinion among those who make it a point to figure on crops that the tomato yield this year will be unusually short. This is said to be due to the long continued drouth during the

At Bethesda M. E. Church to-morro at 10.30 A. M., Dr. Barrett, the pastor, will preach. Subject, "David's Sling, and its Message." Twilight service, 7 to 8 P. M concluding with a short address by the pastor. Come, and you will be wel-

Bethesda Epworth League meets in the lecture room of the M. E. Church every Sunday evening at 7.00 o'clock. Everybody is invited to attend. The topic for to-morrow evening is "Enemies and Arms." Eph. 6:10-18. Leader, W.

010-18. Leader: G. D.

ford club, of Wil-

Mrs. J. C. Stites, Mrs. W. E. Barnard ses Martha Heaton, Maria Nowland Mary Nowland, Eliza Green, Edith Der rickson, Justine Peverly, Messrs. Lucian Green, Joe Comegys, G. L. Cochran, F. S. Crouch, Julian Ford, T. H. Hardeastle and Jay Parker spent a delightful after-noon crabbing Thursday on Bohemia

Unclaimed Letters.—The following lis office for the week ending August 1st Mrs. Walter C. Alexander, Mrs. Lidie Ballie, Miss Luezsy Carty, Mrs. Caroline Jones, Miss Mary Park, Mrs. Lizzie Albert Fleming, postal card; Ed. omew, W. D. Keller, John Parker, White, Albert Flen Johnnie Parker

The Epworth League pic-nic did no go to Augustine Park as stated in our last sue, owing to the heavy rain storm on Tuesday, and the juveniles who were ccompany the League were greatly disprointed. We are informed by tho ho have the arrangement in hand that the pic-nic will go to the Park one day next week, but the day has not been fixed.

Norice! Having retired from the Fer ilizer Business I take pleasure in refer ring and recommending all my friends and former patrons to Mr. Jesse L. Shepherd, for the purchase of Fertilizer manufactured by G. W. Grafflian & Co which I have sold during the past 14 years, as he will have charge of their usiness in the future.

Middletown, Del., June 10, 1901.

Union Lodge, No. 5, A. F. & A. M. had a largely attended and interesti regular communication on Tuesday night when the third degree was conferred o two candidates. Among the out of town visitors were: Governor John Hunn, W Simmons and John M. Ross, of Wyon ing; Curtis B. Holten and Mr. Fell, of Philadelphia. If the night had not been so stormy many more would have been present, but the room was comfortably filled. Refreshments were served after the Lodge closed.

Mr. J. Cowgill Alston has sold to Mr. W. Biggs a very fine colt by Nutwood Prince. The colt is three-years old, and in a trial ecently showed the following time: 2.331 2.27½, and the following week won a race at Wilmington—time 2.30\(\frac{1}{4}\) and 2.28\(\frac{1}{4}\). In speaking of the colt Friday, Mr. Biggs stated he was one of the most promis colts in this section, and with proper training should go very fast. He is a half brother to Rob Roy, who has a record of 2.211. Mr. Biggs purchased the colt for Senator S. S. Penniwill, of Greenwood, this State.

Mr. W. A. Cochran, Sr., who boards with Mrs. Sallie Hyatt on West Main street, has a small garden which is atacting considerable attention. Mr. Cochran's garden is in a cage of poultry wire which was formally used as a pigeon cage, and undoubtedly the richness of the soil is the cause of the extraordinar growth of the tomato and cucumbe rines planted therein. The cucumber ines' have climbed to a height of som 15 feet up the cage and the yield sur passes all previous records for this sec ion, while the tomato vines are mor than seven feet high, and full of fin large tomatoes.

#### RUSHED INTO BURNING SHOP

Emory B. Riggins, Jr., was suffocated and burned to death in a fire in his father's carriage factory at Laurel early were grown by Mr. Fred Williams.

Quite a number of our citizens visited Atlantic City Thursday, there being 29 tickets sold at the station. The crowd was so large that it was necessary to run two sections, both being filled.

Seven business firms alone employ fifty-two Goldey College graduates. Write to-day to Principal H. S. Goldey, Wilmington, Del., and ask for new, free, beautiful catalogue. See adv. this paper.

The Middletown Library will be open for the summer, on Tuesday from 4 to 5.30 o'clock in the afternoon; and from 7 to 9 on the evening of the same day. On Saturday afternoon from 4 to 5.30 o'clock.

The annual pic-nic of Forest Presbyterian Sunday School will go to Augustine Park next Tuesday, and the days outing will be one of much enjoyment to all the summer of the summer of the sum father of the town. It was used by Mr. Riggin in the manufacture of carriages, furniture and confines.

It is supposed that the fire was caused by someway there was caused by someway which which was proposed that the fire was caused by someway there is an extractive and coffins.

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It is supposed that the fire was caused by someone throwing a match, which had been used to light a cigar, into a pile of shavings.

The father of the unfortunate man, Emory B. Riggin was the speaker of the House of Representatives six years ago.

CYCLONE ON BOMBAY HOOK ISLAYD

A terrific wind storm, having every indication of a small cyclone, visited the vicinity of Bombay Hook Island Tuesday evening, doing considerable damage. The one suffering most from the devastating wind was Mr. James Slaughter, at the near approach of the marsh, on the road to Woodland Beach. The cyclone came while the family were seated at the supper table, and hearing the storm they got to a place of safety. The table was cleared of everything and blown out into the yard. Not stopping here, the wind played havoc with the outbnildings, completely demolishing the carriage house and minor sheds. The shutters and doors were also blown off the residence. Fortunately no one was hurt. A terrific wind storm, having ever

B. Kates.

Mr. James A. Bradley is raising one of the livery stables of Mr. L. C. Scott. After the building has been raised some eighteen inches a new tin roof and other improvements will be made, which will ad I greatly to the appearance of this upty-late livery.

The primary department of the M. E. Sunday School was given a Lawn Fete Thursday evening, on the lot adjoining the Church. The occasion was one of much enjoyn at to the little folks, and the ice cream and cake served by the ladies was much enjoyed by all.

The management of the Middletown on the middlet

Italies was much enjoyed by all.

The managepent of the Middletown Base Ball club has received a letter from the North Phadelphia Base Ball club asking for a gane to be played on the local ground is Theeday next, August 18th, and in all prability a game will be played on the above date.

The Young loples Society of Christian Endeavor of Forest Presbyterian-Church, meets every Sunday evening at 6.45 s'clock. A cordial invitation is extended to everyody. The topic for to-morrow evering is "Enemies and Arms." Eph. 410-18. Leader; G. D.

will go to San Francisco by way of Buffalo, where they will stop to see the exposition.

After Lawyer Agents
Secretary of State Layton has issued notices that altorneys acting as agents for foreign corporations in securing charters will be required to pay \$50 annually for each corporation they represent. It is probable that some attorneys will refuse to pay the fee and Secretary Layton breatens to have their names presented breatens to have the presented by her counting. Mrs. William Brown are entertaining their unother, and sister, Mrs. Jennie Brown.

Mrs. Chara Rowan, wife of Harry Rowan, deel at her home in Ceciton after a sont lines of the day of the presented breatens to have their names presented breatens to have thein names presented breatens to have their names presented breatens

#### PERSONAL ITIES

Miss Ethel Gill is visiting in Charles

Miss Bertha Jones is visiting her ann Miss Florence D. Gill is

Piedmont, W. Va. Miss Annie Maxwell is sr

Mr. Horsey Brown, spent Monday in town. Miss Blanche Armstrong, of Dela City, is visiting in town

Mr. William Maxwell and Monday in Baltimore Mr. and Mrs. Harry Shapley

Mr. Herman Conner is spe lays with friends in Baltimore Mr. S. E. Massey, of Wilming

inday with his moth Mrs. John B. Goff, spent Sunday nis family on East Main street.

Miss Carrie Mayhew, of Milford! Miss Lavica Wilson, of Heightstown

me on a two weeks vacation. Mr. Charles W. Jones, of New York City, spent Sunday with his parents. Mrs. J. B. Bratton and son, Lloyd, are visiting friends in Lambertville, N. J.

Miss Annie Serman of Philadelphia, i Mr. Wilson Bailey, of Philadelphia, isiting the family of Mr. M. Kumpel.

Mr F D Snydem of Berwyn Pe i isiting his parents on Crawford street. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Khole, of New

Miss Maggie Brothers, of Honewell, N I., is visiting the family of Mr. I. T. Wil

Miss Jennie Christopher, of Heights town, spent Sunday with Mrs. J. Cross Miss Helen Moyer, of York, Pa., is the

Miss Virginia E. Jones, of Heights town, is visiting her parents on Lake

Mr. Charles E. Berry, of Mt. Vern Ill., spent Sunday with Mr. W. A. Hn

Miss Mary Lippincott and Miss Bes S. Anderson

Mrs. Stephen Slaughter, of Dover isiting her daughter, Mrs. W. Parker Miss Sophia Schriver, of Heightstow

s visiting her sister, Mrs. Robert Bryan. ear town Miss Elsie Boulden has returned he rom a delightful visit with her aunt nes

Mrs. Darlington and sister, Miss Vin ginia Jones, spent Thursday at Brandy

Mrs. Harry Johnson and children, Clayton, are visiting her sister, Mrs. P. L. McWhorter.

Mr. D. Warren Wilson and wife, Elkton, have been visiting his parents i own this week.

Miss Martha C. Heaten will start Monday for a month's visit to Camde and other points. The Misses Hyatts, of New York, ar isiting their aunt, Miss Sallie Hyatt or

orth Broad street. Mr. J. W. Naudain and family, of Balmore, are spending sometime with he other, Mrs. Houston.

Mr. Walter Monroe left on Monday fo the Pan-American Exposition, and will

e absent for ten days. Mr. Paul Weber has returned ho rom a week's visit to Atlantic City and other points of interest.

Mrs. F. C. West and daughter, Mis Carrie, of Wilmington, were guests of relatives in town this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Willits Phare and so of Philadelphia, are visiting their parent at "Bleak House," near town.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Messick have ed from a two weeks stay at the Cats Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Mendenhall.

Wilmington, are spending sometime with her father, Mr. Charles P. Cochran. Miss L. Marie Ford, of near Smyrns spent several days of this week with the

family of A. H. Donovan near town. Mr. Adam Reed who has been very il

MIDDLETOWN 9. TOWNSEND 10.

At Townsend last Saturday fully 5 people witnessed one of the most interesing ball games ever played in the Appquinnink town, in which the Middle town club was defeated by the score of the Saturday of the S the last man was out in the n

the last man was out in the ninth inning could the winning club be picked.

Stevens pitched a fine game for Middletown and had he been given support would have won out easily, but fate was against him, and Townsend won out in their half of the ninth.

For Townsend, Magee, who pitched for the Philadelphia National League Ball Club la't season, did the twirling, and during the first part of the game, he doubtless thought he was again in league company, as the boys succeeded in making four safe hits in the first inning, and scored two runs, while in the second they

ing four safe hits in the first inning, and scored two runs, while in the second they added three more hits to their credit, and four more runs. After the fifth inning Magee did fine work, and managed to keep the 14 hits made off his delivery well scattered.

A noticeable feature of the game was the good order, and the gentlemanly orduce of all visitors, and it is to be hop that the two clubs may meet many tinduring the present season, and pl games. ore by innings follows:

Batteries—Stevens, S. Holten; Mage Lynam. Umpires—Brown and Myers.

#### TOWNSEND NEWS BUDGET

Miss McCov, of Odessa, visited h Miss Emma Townsend is the gu

Ing Mrs. John Lattomus.

Mr. Loller, of Greensboro, Md., is
ing Mrs. George M. Watts.

Miss Yearsley, of Wilmington, i
gnest of Miss Mary Money.

Mrs. Jane Foxwell, of Philadelphia, isiting her many friends here. Pitcher John Townsend of the "Philies" spent Sunday at his home here. Mrs. Harry Hart, of Philadelphia,

Mr. James Townsend, of Wilminghas been visiting relatives and fri

Mrs. Arie Hill, of Baltimore, is be intertained by her many Towns Miss Emma Choate, of Newark, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Jones on Dela

Miss Ethelwyn Maloney rom a delightful visit am Hurlock, Md, Mr. Jackson Collins, Superir

ne Farn'hurst Hospital, has been

Mrs. H. K. Huston and daughter, Ridley Park, Pa., are visiting her siste Mrs. Howard Townsend. Mrs. Howard Townsend.

Miss Ethel Carpenter, of Philadelphia,
is being delightfully entertained by the
Missee Margaret and Myrtle Townsend.

Miss Emma Weldon, of Philadelphia, s visiting her mother and other relatives lso the guest of her many friends at this

Misses Lena Foster and Florence Mar-tine have returned to their homes in Wilmington after passing an enjeyable season here, they being the guests of Miss Luta Outten.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gill held the sixt Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gill held the sixth anniversary of their marriage on Thursday, and their many friends were present and all heartily enjoyed themselves during the day and in departing their many guests wished them many, very many more of equally delightful occasions. They received many very nice presents.

Before Magistrate Bratton on Tuesday a very interesting case was heard. A

very interesting case was heard, narge of desertion was made again eorge Reed by his young wife, whaimed that Reed had left her seven claimed that Reed had left her several weeks previously. The magistrate used his influence to bring about a reconciliation and this mandate of law looking to a peaceful solution of their differences finally prevailed and the wife soon withdrew the charge. Reed and his wife became as friendly as ever, as Reed had promised to treat his "better half" in a more creditable manner, and as they departed it was plain to the spectators and the magistrate, that all had been forgiven and they hastily departed smiling and equally much contented.

#### WARWICK HAPPENINGS

Miss Beulah Crawford visited in town Mr. Harry Kirby spent Tuesday in

Mrs. Han

Mrs. Lydia Coverdale is spending this week in Smyrna.

Mrs. Emma Bland spent Sunday and Monday in town. Miss Elsie Marsh returned home from

Miss Isabel Moyer, of Philadelphia, rurned home on Saturday. Miss Helen Eaton is visiting Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Blackburn, of New Castle. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Dulaney, of Saltimore, are spending a week with

Miss Mamie G. Steele, of Chesapeake City, is visiting at the home of Mrs. Arabelle Piser. Mrs. Dorcas Curry and grandson At-weil Stafford, have returned to their home in Philadelphia, after having spent a week with Mr. and Mrs. R, B. Merritt.

May Change Signal Colors May Change Signal Colors
Directors of the Pennsylvania railroad
for somettime past have been considering the advisability of changing the color
of signal lights along its lines. The proposition is to make green light safety instead of white; in fact to do away with
the white light altogether, replacing the
green with a yellow light for caution, but
to retain the red to signify danger.

Admitted His Guilt Admitted His Guilt
"Pud". Davis, the Howard Co., Md.,
negro charged with attempting a felonous
assault, who was arrested on Wednesday
night, Thursday admitted his guilt when
confronted by his intended victim, a Hitle
white girl named Nora Cross. She is the
daughter of Hanson Cross, of the Third
district of Howard county. Justice Baker
committed Davis to jail.

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ODESSA NOTES

Mr. Frank Reed is in Baltic Miss Louise T VanDuke is at home for

Mrs. Tybout, of Washington, D. C., is eing entertained by Mrs. D. W. Corbit May C. Enos is visiting her bro-Mr. T. Courtenay Enos, at Lewes. Miss Bennett, of Philadelphia, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. Clarence Wil-

Mr. William S. VanDyke is at he fter having spent several weeks at Rev. William O. Hurst has returned

Miss Nathalie H. Woodall, of Wash-ngton, D. C., is the guest of Miss Amelia andegrift. Rev. R. L. Hallett and brother Dr. Villiam Hallett, of Wilmington, were town over Sunday. Miss Annie Gremminger who for the ast two weeks has been the victim of yphoid fever, is no better.

The Rev. Dr. Stevenson, of Haddon-field, N. J., will occupy the pulpit in the M. E. Church on Sunday morning. Mrs. Payne Greene and daughte Estelle and May, of Philadelphia, whave been spending the summer Odessa, returned home Thursday.

The Board of Town Commission The Board of Town Commissioners are preparing to put up several arc lights at the intersection of our streets which will be a much needed improvement. If they will now turn their attention to the pave-ments which are in many places very much out of order they will confer a favor

upon pedistrians.

Mr. Watkins will commence canning corn on Monday and Mr. Baker will open his cannery on Tuesday or Wednesday, which events will make our town very lively for the next six weeks. Also, the "Clio" is carrying heavy freights now. The cargo on Thursday last was particularly heavy and the wharf presented a very have annearance, as team after team very busy appearance, as team after teadischarged its load of wheat or fruit.

Mrs. Esther A. Gray Mrs. Esther A. Gray
Mrs. Esther A. Gray, wife of Mr. R. L.
Gray, of Bohemia Manor, died at her
late residence Thursday morning, aged
60 years. The funeral services will be
held at her late residence on Saturday
morning, at 10 o'clock; interment at St.
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-OF-

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ON MONDAY, AUGUST 19TH, 1901 From 1.30 to 4 o'clock, P. M.

ON WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 28TH, 1901, From 1.30 to 4 o'clock P. M. AT FLEMING'S LANDING ON FRIDAY, AUGUST 30TH, 1901, From 1.30 to 4 o'clock, P. M., AND AT MY RESIDENCE AT TAYLORS BRIDGE Every Tuesday and Saturday during the

month of August Please read the following Extract of the La Please read the following Extract of the Law:

"That on all taxes paid before the first day of October there shall be an abatement of five per centum; on all taxes paid before the first day of December there shall be an abatement of three per centum; on all taxes paid during the month of December there shall be no abatement whatever; and on all taxes unpaid on the first day of January next ensuing five per centum thereof shall be added thereto."

ABRAM STAATS,

## School Tax!

United School Districts, Nos 60, 601 and 94, Middletown, Delto the undersigned, on or before the Tenth Day of August, 1901, there will be allowed a REBATE OF 8 PER CENT. No other notice will be given. ALFRED G. COX, Receiver.

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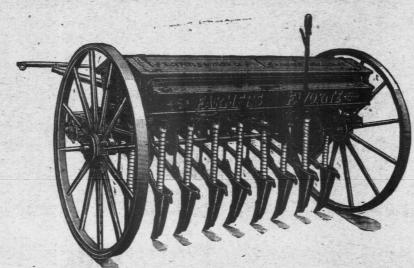
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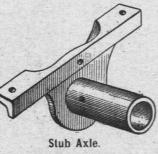


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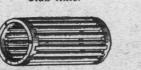
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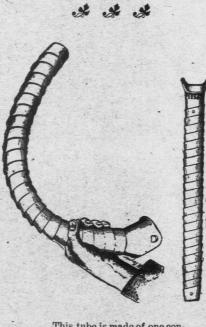


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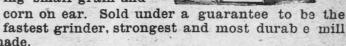
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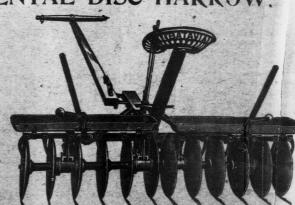


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